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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : 6,804,285 B2  
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page,

Item [73], Assignee, change "**Canon Kabushiki Kaisha**, Tokyo (JP)" to read -- Cannon **Kabushiki Kaisha**, Tokyo (JP) and **Tadahiro Ohmi**, Sendai (JP) --.

Item [\*] Notice, insert: -- This patent issued on a continued prosecution application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d), and is subject to the twenty year patent term provisions of 35 U.S.C. 154(a)(2). --.

Column 1,

Line 20, "only which can" should read -- which can only --.

Column 8,

Line 20, "A<sub>γv</sub>" should read -- A<sub>pv</sub> --;

Line 37, "throu<sup>t</sup>" should read -- throat --; and

Line 47, "A<sub>throu<sup>t</sup></sub>" should read -- A<sub>throa<sup>t</sup></sub> --.

Column 9,

Line 35, "speed of sound" should read -- Speed of sound --; and

Line 54, "of" (first occurrence) should read -- on --;

Column 12,

Line 42, "sound speed" should read -- speed of sound --;

Line 55, "of" (first occurrence) should read -- the --; and

Line 57, "better" should read -- best --.

Column 17,

Line 59, "not;" should be deleted.

Column 18,

Line 31, "wherein" should be deleted; and

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Column 18 (cont'd),  
Line 43, "comprising" should read -- comprises --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping initial "J" and a distinct "D".

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